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NO 13 EAST SECOND STREET, SEYMOUR, INDIANA.



The Simple Life

By CHARLES WAGNER

Translated From the French by Mary Louise Hendee

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CHAPTER V.

SIMPLE DUTY.

WHEN we talk to children on a subject that annoys them they call our attention to some pigeon on the roof giving food to its little one or some coachman down in the street who is abusing his horse. Sometimes they even maliciously promote one of those alarming questions that put the minds of parents on the rack; all this to divert attention from the distressing topic. I fear that in the face of duty we are big children, and when that is the theme seek subterfuges to distract us.

The first sophism consists in asking ourselves if there is such a thing as duty in the abstract, or if this word does not cover one of the numerous illusions of our forefathers; for duty, in truth, supposes liberty, and the question of liberty leads us into metaphysics. How can we talk of liberty as long as this grave problem of free will is not solved? Theoretically there is no objection to this, and if life were a theory and we were here to work out a complete system of the universe it would be absurd to concern ourselves with duty until we had clarified the subject of liberty, determined its conditions, fixed its limits.

But life is not a theory. In this question of practical morality, as in the others, life has preceded hypothesis, and there is no room to believe that she ever yields it place. This liberty—relative, I admit, like everything we are acquainted with, for that matter—this duty whose existence we question is none the less the basis of all the judgments we pass upon ourselves and our fellow men. We hold each other to a certain extent responsible for our acts and exploits.

The most ardent theorist, once out side of his theory, scruples not a whit to approve or disapprove the acts of others, to take measures against his enemies, to appeal to the generosity and justice of those he would dissuade from an unworthy step. One can no more rid himself of the notion of moral obligation than of that of time or space, and as surely as we must resign ourselves to walking before we know how to define this space through which we move and this time that measures our movements, so surely must we submit to moral obligation before having put our finger on its deep hidden roots. Moral law dominates man whether he respects or defies it. See how it is in everyday life—each one is ready to cast his stone at him who neglects a plain duty even if he affirms that he has not yet arrived at philosophic certitude. Everybody will say to him, and with excellent reason: "Sir, we are men before everything. First play your part, do your duty as citizen, father, son. After that you shall return to the course of your meditations."

However, let us be well understood. We should not wish to turn any one away from scrupulous research into the foundations of morality. No thought which leads men to concern themselves once more with these grave meditations.

He who tries to penetrate into the humble underworld of society is not

and mortal. And the closer he looks the greater number of unfortunates does he discover, till in the end this assembly of the wretched appears to him like a great black world, in whose presence the individual and his means of relief are reduced to helplessness. It is true that he feels impelled to run to the succor of these unfortunates, but at the same time he asks himself, "What is the use?" The case is certainly heartrending. Some in despair, and by doing nothing. They lack neither pity nor good intention, but these bear no fruit. They are wrong. Often a man has not the means to do good on a large scale, but that is not a reason for failing to do it at all. So many people absolve themselves from any action on the ground that there is too much to do! They should be recalled to simple duty, and this duty in the case of which we speak is that each one, according to his resources, leisure and capacity, should create relations for himself among the world's destitute. There are people who by the exercise of a little good will have succeeded in enrolling themselves among the followers of ministers and have ingratiated themselves with princes. Why should you not succeed in forming relations with the poor and in making acquaintances among the workers who lack somewhat the necessities of life? When a few families are known, with their histories, their antecedents and their difficulties, you may be of the greatest use to them by acting the part of a brother with the moral and material aid that is yours to give. It is true you will have attacked only one little corner, but you will have done what you could and perhaps have led another on to follow you. Instead of stopping at the knowledge that much wretchedness, hatred, dissension and vice exist in society you will have introduced a little good among these evils. And by however slow degrees such kindness as yours is emulated the good will sensibly increase and the evil diminish. Even were you to remain alone in this undertaking you would have the assurance in fulfilling the duty plain as a child's, which offered itself you were doing the only reasonable thing. If you have felt it so, you have found out one of the secrets of right living.

In its dreams man's ambition embraces vast limits, but it is rarely given us to achieve great things, and even then a quick and sure success always rests on a groundwork of patient preparation. Fidelity in small things is at the base of every great achievement. We too often forget this, and yet no truth needs more to be kept in mind, particularly in the troubled eras of history and in the crises of individual life. In shipwreck a splintered beam, an ear, any scrap of wreckage, saves us. On the tumbling waves of life, when everything seems shattered to fragments, let us not forget that a single one of these poor bits may become our plank of safety. To despise the remnants is demoralizing.

You are a ruined man, or you are stricken by a great bereavement, or again, you see the fruit of tollsome years perish before your eyes. You cannot rebuild your fortune, raise the dead, recover your lost toil, and in the face of the inevitable your arms drop. Then you neglect to care for your per-

son. We simply enrage the dinner to find a way to wait till he has unearthed these foundations before he does an act of humanity, of honesty or dishonesty, of valor or cowardice. And most of all do we wish to formulate a reply for all the fuscous who have never tried to philosophize and for ourselves when we would offer our state of philosophical doubt in justification of our practical omissions. From the simple fact that we are men, before all theorizing, positive or negative, about duty, we have the peremptory law to conduct ourselves like men. There is no getting out of it.

But he little knows the resources of the human heart who counts on the effect of such a reply. It matters not that it is itself unanswerable. It can not keep other questions from arising. The sum of our pretexts for evading duty is equal to the sum of the sands of the sea or the stars of heaven.

We take refuge, then, behind duty that is obscure, difficult, contradictory. And these are certainly words to call up painful memories. To be a man of duty and to question one's route, grope in the dark, feel oneself torn between the contrary necessities of conflicting evils, or, again, to face a duty gigantic, overwhelming, beyond our strength—what is harder! And such things happen. We would neither day nor contest the tragedy in certain situations or the anguish of certain lives. And yet duty rarely has to make itself plain across such conflicting circumstances or to be struck out from the tortured mind like lightning from a storm cloud. Such ignitable shocks are exceptional. Well for us if we stand stanch when they come! But if no one is astonished that oaks are uprooted by the whirlwind, that a wayfarer stumbles at night on an unknown road or that a soldier caught between two fires is vanquished, no more should he condemn without appeal those who have been worsted in almost superhuman moral conflicts. To succumb under the force of numbers or obstacles has never been counted a disgrace.

So my weapons are at the service of those who intrude themselves behind the impregnable rampart of duty! I demand, complicated or contradictory. But it is not that which occupies me today; that is of plain—I had almost said easy—duty that I wish to speak.

During the disastrous retreat of 1813-14, in the heart of the winter, when it had become almost impossible to present any sort of appearance, a general, I know not who, one morning presented himself to Napoleon in full dress and freshly shaved. Seizing him thus, in the midst of the general demoralization, as elaborately attired as if for parade, the emperor said, "My general, you are a brave man!"

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

Towboat Blows Up.

Pittsburgh, Jan. 4.—The towboat Dender, while en route to this city with a tow of empties, blew up near Huntington, W. Va. The number of dead at this hour is not known, but out of a crew of about twenty-eight only ten or twelve have been accounted for.

TEXT OF ARTICLES

TERMS UPON WHICH THE PORT ARTHUR GARRISON WAS ABLE TO LET GO.

JAPAN'S FAIR TERMS

RUSSIAN OFFICERS ARE PERMITTED TO DEPART ON HONORABLE PAROLE BEARING THEIR SIDE ARMS.

SOLDIERS ARE KEPT AS PRISONERS OF WAR—OTHER TERMS OF THE CAPITULATION.

STATISTICS OF SIEGE

ASTONISHING FIGURES CONNECTED WITH TAKING OF PORT ARTHUR.

CHEFOO, Jan. 4.—Some interesting statistics concerning the defense of Port Arthur was brought here by the flotilla of Russian torpedo boat destroyers, which carried numerous chests containing complete records of General Stoessel in the army.

Originally the army numbered 35,000. Eleven thousand have been killed; 16,000 are wounded or sick, and 8,000 remained in the forts, of whom, however, 2,000 were unable to fight.

It is learned that when General Stoessel wrote to General Nogi regarding the surrender of the fortress he said: "I have 8,000 men in the forts; and 6,000 of these are able to fight. If you do not accept my proposition these men will die fighting, but it will cost you three times their number to kill them."

During the siege 265 per cent of the garrison were put out of action. This remarkable fact was due to wounded men returning to the front. Cases have been recorded where men have gone to hospital four times, returning convalescent to the forts.

The number of officers killed was proportionately greater than in any battle known in history. This was due to the frequent lethargic condition of the men who, without food and without sleep, moved only when ordered by their officers.

The Russians estimate that the taking of the fortress has cost Japan \$100,000,000.

CAN'T LIVE MANY HOURS.

CHICAGO, Jan. 4.—Theodore Thomas, conductor of the Chicago Orchestra,

is in failing health.

He has been ill for a week.

He has been

A Poem for Today

MY SHADOW

By Robert Louis Stevenson



AS the years pass since the untimely death of Robert Louis Stevenson, poet, essayist and romancer, his work steadily grows in public estimation. "But it was not only the many delightful qualities of his written work which made Stevenson the best loved writer of his time," says authority, "even more, perhaps, he was endeared to countless readers by the frank revelations of a most engaging personality, which shines through all his works."

IHAD a little shadow that goes in and out with me, And what can be the use of him is more than I can see. He is very, very like me from the heels up to the head; And I see him jump before me, when I jump into my bed.

The funniest thing about him is the way he likes to grow— Not at all like proper children, which is always very slow; For he sometimes shoots up taller, like an India-rubber ball, And he sometimes gets so little that there's none of him at all.

He hasn't got a notion of how children ought to play, And can only make a fool of me in every sort of way. He stays so close beside me, he's a coward you can see; I'd think shame to stick to nurse as that shadow sticks to me!

One morning, very early, before the sun was up, I rose and found the shining dew on every buttercup; But my lazy little shadow, like an arrant sleepy-head, Had stayed at home behind me and was fast asleep in bed.

ITCHING ECZEMA

In July, 1883, I began to break out with Eczema on my head, legs and arms, and began treatment with local doctors, but did not get much relief. They said the disease had become chronic. I then quit them and tried various ointments and soaps for another two years, but as soon as cold weather came I was as bad off as ever, so I finally decided to let medicine alone, and for twelve or thirteen years did nothing towards curing the Eczema, except bathing. This seemed to do about as much good as anything I had tried.

During the time I lost about one-half of my hair. I began S. S. S. doubtful of a cure, because the disease had run so long, but soon discovered your medicine was doing me good, and continued to take it. I used seven bottles, when I was completely cured, not having a single spot on my body, which before was almost completely covered. F. C. NORFOLK.

1079 Hackberry St., Ottumwa, Ia.

The head, feet and hands are usually the parts affected, though the disease appears on other parts of the body. While external applications allay the itching and burning temporarily, it is the acids thrown off by the blood that cause the irritation and eruptions upon the skin. The acids must be neutralized and the system cleansed of all humors and poisons before the cure is permanent.

S. S. S. is guaranteed entirely free of Potash, Arsenic and other minerals. Book on the skin and its diseases sent free.

Medical advice furnished free.

Enormous Real Estate Deal.

Chicago, Jan. 4.—One of the largest real estate deals in the down-town district for many years, involving a cash consideration of \$2,500,000, was completed by the filing of a deed from the Chicago Dock company to the Illinois Tunnel company. The property has a river frontage of 404 feet. It contains dockage for 140 large freight cars, which may be loaded or unloaded at one time, and several rows of buildings seven to nine stories high, 600 feet long and 100 feet wide.

Horrible Method of Suicide.

Des Moines, Ia., Jan. 4.—Mrs. T. C. Alexander, a pioneer resident, burned herself to death in an outhouse.

She secured possession of a can of kerosene with which she drenched her clothing, and, going to the outhouse, set herself on fire. Worry over the health of her two daughters is supposed to be the cause of her action.

Preacher Held to Answer.

New York, Jan. 4.—Rev. Carlos Marton, at one time pastor of the Bloomingdale Reformed church and later pastor of the First Reformed church of Newark, N. J., was arrested here on a charge of grand larceny, in connection with the tangled affairs of the defunct Abbey Press of which he was at one time president.

Jesus' Man's Triple Crime.

Portland, Ore., Jan. 4.—Enraged by jealousy of Frank Dunne, whom he believed to have alienated his wife's affection, Henry K. Loomis and then committed suicide.

Look out for a wedding soon.

Bent Her Double.

"I knew no one, for four weeks, when I was sick with typhoid and kidney trouble," writes Mrs. Annie Hunter, of Pittsburgh, Pa., "and when I got better, although I had one of the best doctors I could get, I was bent double and had to rest my hands on my knees when I walked. From this terrible affliction I was rescued by Electric Bitters, which restored my health and strength, and now I can walk as straight as ever. They are simply wonderful!" Guaranteed to cure stomach, liver and kidney disorders; at W. F. Peter Drug Co., price 50c.

AUSTIN.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Davis and Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Lett took Christmas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Shaver of Oak Grove.

Several from here attended the party at Charley Welliver's last Tuesday evening.

The Ackeret Sunday school elected officers for the following year. They are as follows: Supt., J. A. Fox; Asst. Supt., Fred Ackeret; Sect. Katie Bickman; Treas., Arthur Craig; Org., Amalia Bickman; Librarian, Ben Fox.

FLEMING.

George Palmer was the lucky guesser and got the big stick of candy at John Mettert's store.

Mrs. Sarah Stanfield and Mrs. Horn visited Mrs. Samuel Stanfield Monday.

James Patterson, of Loogootie, visited his daughter Mrs. Ella Robins over Sunday.

Jacob Emly was at North Vernon Monday.

Joe Stanfield gave a party last Tuesday night. A large crowd attended and all report a good time.

Alice Judd visited her sister, Mrs. Willie Lewis Sunday.

Miss Goldie Stanfield is staying in the family of Noah Sullivan this week.

James Cox and wife, of Seymour, is visiting at this place.

PUBLIC LIBRARY

Will be Opened to The Public Next Monday Night.

The Seymour Public Library Board held a meeting Tuesday night, expecting that Miss Houghland, of the state library commission, would meet with them, but at the last moment she sent notice that another meeting prevented her coming. The Board, however, talked over their plans pertaining to the work now under way at the library and those which concern the opening of the library to the public.

It was decided to open the library next Monday night, so that from that time forth the public will have access to the library and reading rooms. Further announcement of the plans for the opening or any changes that may be made will be published later.

One feature of the opening that will doubtless interest many and should be of much benefit to the library is the "book shower" that is planned. By this means the Board hopes to add several volumes to the library.

The Board and the Librarian have been hard at work getting the library in proper shape in the new building and they have found the task much greater than they anticipated. But they are doing their work well and the public will appreciate it.

HOUSTON.

DIED—Thomas Pruitt a pioneer of this place, departed this life Dec. 30, 1904. The deceased leaves three brothers, a wife, two sons and seven daughters and a host of relatives and friends to mourn his death. The relatives have the sympathy of the entire community in their sad hour of bereavement. Deceased was born in Indiana 79 years 2 months 14 days prior to his death caused by pulmonary tuberculosis. Interment in the Lutes cemetery Dec. 31.

Henry Combs who has been visiting relatives and friends here for some time returned to his home in Terre Haute, Friday.

Several teachers from this vicinity attended State Teachers Association at Indianapolis, Thursday, Friday and Saturday and all report a very enjoyable time.

W. B. Brown is reported on the sick list.

Several young folks attended church at Freetown Sunday night.

Harriet McKain of Terre Haute attended the funeral of her father, Thos. Pruitt, at this place Sunday.

Mrs. Harden of Nashville spent part of the week in the family of Elmer Clark.

Miss Sadie Summa of this place visited her Uncle John Pruitt, at Freetown over Sunday.

Mrs. Mirah Pruitt is visiting relatives in Brownstown.

Mrs. Manda Summa and Mrs. Mollie Summa are visiting relatives in Heltonville at this writing.

Sude Carmichael and children of Lockman spent Sunday in the family of John Cummings.

Perry Thompson has gone to Terre Haute to seek employment.

Rosa O. Lutes and Wm. Cornett went to Miamis to work, Monday.

Meady Lutes of Kurtz was a business visitor here Saturday.

Ollie McMahon spent a part of last week with relatives at Brownstown.

John Taylor and family of Christianburg, spent Sunday in the family of John McMahon.

David Summa and family, spent a few days of last week with relatives in Brownstown.

CANA, JENNINGS CO.

Don't forget the date—1905.

Attendance at Sunday school 95.

Sunday school was reorganized at Marion with Benton Barnes Supt.

Otto Downs and family of Beech Grove, and Mrs. Jose Loebline, of Rockford, visited with Mrs. Mary Erb.

Gladys Coryell spent the holidays with her Uncle Hector and other relatives in Louisville.

Roscoe Taisler spent Sunday with friends in Louisville.

Our Sunday school reports an average attendance of 66 for last year.

Mr. Elston of Ohio, has moved into Eliza Bridges' property.

We anticipate a wedding soon.

Ed Barnes and family and Daily Sage and wife are home from Illinois for the winter.

Sally Ryne is ill with tuberculosi.

SHIELDS.

Miss Eva Pillman is visiting her brother John Pillman this week.

Miss Lillian Flinck went to Seymour Thursday to attend the wedding of her mother, Mrs. Flinck.

Mr. and Mrs. Bickman attended the funeral of Mr. Baumgart last Saturday and Sunday.

John Morrison and family, of Hayden, visited Walter Akens and wife Saturday and Sunday.

John Manion and wife and daughter visited their son at Honeytown Sunday.

Miss Pearl Mitchel spent Xmas with her sister, and friends in Seymour.

Born to William Topic and wife, a boy.

FINK THOMAS.

Lew Thomas and Mrs. Anna Finkle were married at Seymour last Thursday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas will make their future home in Seymour.

Mr. Rich who was hurt very seriously at the Shale hill is improving nicely.

Vol Fox and wife were at Indianapolis Monday.

Married Saturday evening at Columbus, Miss. Grace Marsh and Dan Trent. They will live in Illinois.

Died Thursday evening, Mrs. Samuel Arnold, age 84 years. Funeral at Sand Creek Saturday at 10 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Harsch, Eye Sight Specialists.

7 N. CHESTNUT ST.

REDDINGTON.

The scarlet fever cases are all better. Lemmie Day who has been visiting his father Clint Day, of North Vernon, returned home Saturday.

Mrs. Malinda Swengel and daughter Miss Cora, visited Levi Swengel and family, of Chestnut Ridge, several days last week.

Ralph Oathout and wife and Misses Laura and Hazel Oathout, John, James and William Anderson and Mark McIure of Surprise and Homer Perry of Hayden visited relatives at this place last week.

Chris Tabor of Columbus, visited his sister, Mrs. Laura Baldwin over Sunday.

Kennie Hazzanzahl of Seymour spent holidays with relatives at this place.

C. Welliver and family ate turkey with Edgar Perry and family of Hayden New Year's day.

Mrs. Eliza B. Davis is visiting relatives at Indianapolis this week.

Mrs. Emma Harper and son William are visiting her parents at Greenville.

Walter Oathout and wife visited Dr. Carson and wife and other relatives at this place Friday and Saturday and went to Hayden Sunday to visit relatives.

Mrs. Dora Combs is sick.

Miss Lola Eckert who has been the guest of Mrs. Emma Murray, returned to her home in Illinois.

Miss Nolan of Franklin, is the guest of Miss Alice Lucy this week.

Miss Flora Welliver returned to Indianapolis Tuesday.

Charley Martin, of Seymour, and father of Borden, were the guests of Dr. C. A. Hunter Friday.

Wallace Amick, of Scipio, was the guest of J. D. Herring Thursday night.

FOX PLAIN, JENNINGS CO.

Frances Crane is working for Warren Skinner.

Emmet Johnson, of Indianapolis, visited here Monday.

The storm last week blew down a lot of fence for Wm. Kessler.

Miss Tillie Maschino is working for Mrs. George Kelsh.

Wm. Miller is having a lot of stove wood cut on his farm here.

Rev. Mr. Pierce of Franklin, visited Mr. Skinner Monday.

Milton Barkman sold a fine calf last week.

Candidates for road supervisor seem to be more plentiful than rabbits in this district.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a tea-spoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case if it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

F. J. CHENY & CO., Toledo, O.

Sold by druggists, 75c.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

GUTHRIE CREEK.

Rev. Marion Mitchell filled his regular appointment Sunday.

Henry Fountain and John George made a business trip to Clear spring Saturday.

Joseph Childers went to Ft. Ritter Friday.

John George and wife visited Hugh Morrison and wife Sunday.

Alex Hatchett returned to Bloomington Monday.

Dr. Thomas Thompson returned home to Ill. last week accompanied by his father R. D. Thompson, who is going to spend the winter there.

E. Morrison made a business trip to Leesville Saturday.

Died at his home near Ecru, Monday, of paralysis, Mont. Montgomery. Interment at Munnells, Chapel, Wednesday.

Doc Glover hauled his team to Leesville last week.

WESLEY REDDINGTON.

James Spurling and wife moved in Mrs. Minerva Glasson's house one day last week.

Wesley Lind and family spent New Year's Day at Columbus.

Miss Bertha Fountain, of this place spent the past week with friends and relatives at Clearspring and attended protracted meeting.</p



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On all our Boys' and Children's Overcoats, Agee 4 to 15.

Good Line to Select From

THE HUB.

November Coughs

The changeable weather of November is very hard on throat and lungs, causing much coughing and soreness. We invite your Doctor's prescriptions for medicine covering such ailments. Also if you want a good household cough remedy, one that has proven thoroughly reliable during a use of several years, we will gladly supply you Rexall Celery Juice at 25c a bottle.

W. F. PETER DRUG CO.,

Phone 400.

WANT ADVERTISING

To a man who has a little money to invest the real estate and business opportunity advertisements are as interesting as are the store advertisements to the house-wife—and that is saying a good deal.

CALENDAR PADS.—For 1905, one cent each at the REPUBLICAN office.

FOR RENT.—Six room residence 530 N. Walnut Street. Inquire 334 N. Walnut. 55d

WANTED.—One or two furnished rooms suitable for light house keeping. References exchanged. Apply C. REPUBLICAN office. 52d

OLD PAPERS.—20c per hundred. Useful in many ways about the house. THE REPUBLICAN.

FOR SALE.—Copper plate engraved calling cards. Always in good taste. Price 50 cents: 100 cards from plate \$1.00; 50 cards from plate 75 cents. Leave orders at the REPUBLICAN office.

Officers Installed.

Seymour Lodge No. 204, I. O. O. F. installed the following officers Tuesday night.

Chas. W. Clark, N. G. Melvin Jerrell, V. G. Wm. Meseke, Secy. Robt. Binder, Per. Secy. Ben Gilman, Treas. Al Bryan, Cond.

Ed Loertz, Warden. Roy Balsley, I. G. Ira Gariner, O. S. Wm. Rottkar, R. S. N. G. L. B. Hill, L. S. N. G. Alvin Brown, R. S. V. G. Ed Hopewell, L. S. V. G. Carl Larrison, R. S. S. Urban Kysar, L. S. S. Harley Jackson, Chaplain. H. P. Miller, trustee.

Invoiced Stock.

The stock of drugs and sundries of Albert E. Yeager at Jonesville were invoked Tuesday by B. W. Parker and Dr. DeLong. Mr. Yeager has filed a petition in bankruptcy and the creditors will meet before Judge Batchelor in W. W. Lambert's office at Columbus next Monday. The Daniel Stewart Drug Company at Indianapolis holds a mortgage on the stock and sets up a prior claim. This may reult in some litigation.

Good One Tonight.

"Under Southern Skies" will be played at the opera house tonight by a good company. The cast is composed of 23 people. A car load of special scenery is used in the production. We have no hesitancy in commanding this play. The play is a delightful romance and protracts southern social life and hospitality. This is one of the plays you should not miss.

Attention Woodmen.

There will be degree work at the regular meeting Wednesday night. Also other business of importance to be transacted.

C. W. BURKART, C. GEO. F. MEYER, Clerk.

44d

Campbell's Creek.

Part of the 15,000,000 tons of coal just received. Both Pittsburgh and Campbell's Creek.

Phone 1. H. F. WHITE.

BORN.

Born to Chas. Sierp and wife Tues day Jan. 3, a son.

I'll brave the storms of Chilkoot Pass.

I'll cross the plains of frozen glass,

I'll leave my wife and cross the sea,

Rather than be without Rocky Mountain Tea. W. F. Peter Drug Co.

Black Creek coal makes a strong heat, light ash and does not clink.

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The greatest system renovator. Restores vitality, regulates the kidneys, liver and stomach. If dillister's

Rocky Mountain Tea fails to cure get

your money back. That's fair. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. W. F. Peter Drug Co.

Black Creek coal makes a strong heat, light ash and does not clink.

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HAPPY NEW YEAR

Is a very familiar greeting, but can one be happy without health? Not. Then our greeting is twice welcome because we also offer you a medicine that will positively restore you to health and happiness, namely, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. It never fails in cases of Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Flatulence, Heartburn, Insomnia, Chills or Colds. Try a bottle; also get a free copy of our 1905 Almanac from your Druggist.

HUSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS.

PERSONAL.

Geo. W. Bedel, of Uniontown, was here today.

John Peter came up from Louisville this morning.

W. T. Branaman was at Brownstown today.

John L. Ford went to Brownstown this morning.

A. D. Sutherland was here from Brownstown today.

Elder Thomas Jones made a trip to Scottsburg today.

August Cordes transacted business at Brownstown today.

Attorney C. H. Rutherford is reported some better today.

J. H. Hodapp made a business trip to Indianapolis today.

Thos. Hopewell was a northbound passenger this morning.

L. G. Moseley and wife have returned from a visit at Fleming.

Miss Nine Ewing went to Louisville today to see relatives and friends.

Joe Smith and wife are home from Holton, where they spent the holidays.

Ed Blaze, clerk at Stanfield & Carlsson's, has been sick but is at work again.

Albert Berdon returned to Purdue University today to resume his college work.

J. P. Throop and A. W. Bruner, of Paoli, passed through to Indianapolis today.

Ed Vehslage returned to Purdue today where he is instructor in drafting this year.

John Hardin, of Nineveh, was here this morning on business with Thos. Hopewell.

Jacob Seider and wife, who were here visiting W. A. Laupus and wife, have returned to Jeffersonville.

Mrs. J. F. Severinghaus is home from Louisville visiting her son, Rev. C. E. Severinghaus, and family.

C. A. Bolles and wife returned to Pittsburgh, Pa., last evening from a visit with his parents at Brownstown.

John Conner and Harry Guernsey returned to DePauw University today after spending their vacation at home.

Miss Martha Grimm who has been here visiting Mrs. Frank Voss and other relatives returned to Rossville today.

Lewis Ackerman, of Seymour, who has been visiting friends here, returned to his home this morning.—Bedford Mail.

Miss Alma Seider, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. W. A. Laupus, returned to Jeffersonville this morning.

Dr. H. A. Washburn, county coroner, who was here Tuesday to take evidence relative to the death of Henry Ahl, has returned to Freetown.

Miss Selda Wesner, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Lon Beckwith, returned this morning to her home in Louisville.—Columbus Republician.

Dr. G. G. Graessle went to Indianapolis today to accompany Mrs. Mary Isaacs home. The condition of her health remains as it was when she went away.

Roxy Montgomery, daughter of J. U. Montgomery, who has been very sick with typhoid fever, is improving. Her cousin Miss Goldie Montgomery, who is with her, is also quite sick.

Miss Bessie Montgomery, of Indianapolis, who has been visiting at Columbus, will arrive here this evening on account of the illness of her sister Miss Goldie.

A. J. Hamilton and wife and daughter, returned to Cincinnati yesterday from a several days' visit with relatives and friends at Brownstown. He is a Pullman conductor on the L. & N. running from Cincinnati to New Orleans.

MARRIED.

PROBST-BORGSTEAD.

Christian H. Probst, the newly elected trustee of Jackson township, was the first man to ask for a marriage license this year. He came to the city this morning and after qualifying as the trustee of Jackson township he went to the clerk's office and secured a marriage license. He is to wed Catherine Adeline M. Borgstead.—Columbus Republican.

Aged Minister Dead.

Rev. Joshua D. Griffith, father of Congressman F. M. Griffith, died at his home near Vevay, Monday night.

Congressman Griffith was engaged in the Gillespie trial at Rising Sun when a message came announcing his father's death. Rev. Griffith was one of the oldest Baptist ministers in the state.

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GETS AN AGENCY.

John Price is Given a Berth at Vernon by Pennsylvania Company.

John Price will move with his family from this city to Vernon tomorrow, where he has been given a position as station agent for the Pennsylvania Railway Company at that point.

Price was formerly a brakeman on the Pennsylvania Road and while serving the company in that capacity a few months ago he met with an accident at Rushville in which one of his feet was so badly mashed that amputation was necessary and the injured foot was removed. Later from some cause it became necessary to make two other amputations and by these the injured leg was removed as far up as the knee. Mr. Price never brought any action for damages against the company on account of his injuries and now the company has rewarded him by giving him a berth at Vernon.—Columbus Herald.

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Elder Thomas Jones made a trip to Scottsburg today.

August Cordes transacted business at Brownstown today.

John L. Ford went to Brownstown this morning.

A. D. Sutherland was here from Brownstown today.

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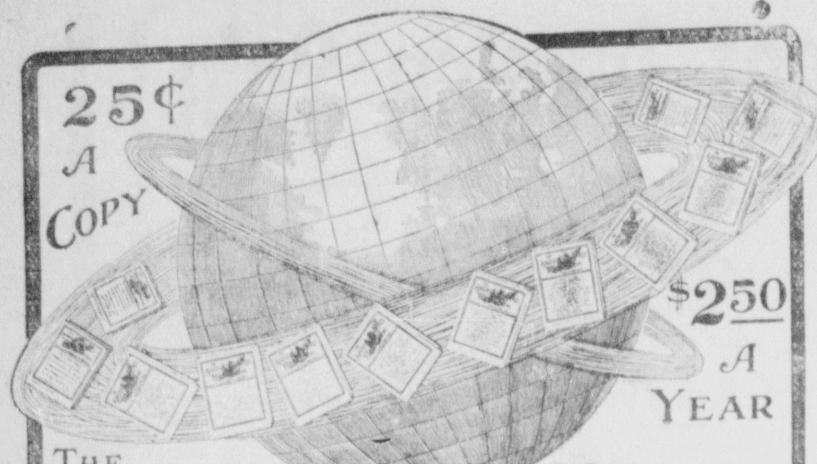
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No. 4 9:10 a. m.9:14 a. m.
No. 2 3:40 p. m.3:45 p. m.
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No. 6 6:05 p. m. dly ex Sun. 6:08 p. m.

WEST BOUND.

ARRIVE. DEPART.
No. 9 5:24 a. m. Sun only....5:27 a. m.
No. 5 5:24 a. m. dly ex Sun 5:27 a. m.
No. 7 10:17 a. m. dly ex Sun 10:25 a. m.
No. 1 11:20 a. m. daily....11:23 a. m.
No. 11 1:45 p. m. daily....1:48 p. m.
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RECEIVER APPOINTED.

New York, Jan. 4.—Robert C. Morris
was appointed receiver for the
Windsor company, dealers in cotton
goods, which, according to the petition,
owns a plant worth \$1,200,000 at North
Adams, Mass.

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There will be less sleeplessness
when Seymour people learn
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Can't sleep at night with a bad back,
A lame, a weak or an aching one.
Doan's Kidney Pills are for bad
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They cure every form of kidney ills,
From common backache to diabetes.
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Pills certainly did me much good. I
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curing right to me, preventing me rest-
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renowned kidney and bladder specialist,
and is wonderfully successful in promptly curing lame back,
uric acid, catarrh of the bladder and
Bright's Disease, which is the worst
form of kidney trouble.

Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root is not recom-
mended for everything but if you have
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found just the remedy you need. It has
been tested in so many ways, in hospital
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proved so successful in every case that a
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which all readers of this paper, who have
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ble. When writing mention reading this
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EXTENDING ACQUAINTANCE

Senator-to-Be Hemenway Is Mingling
With the Scions.

Indianapolis, Jan. 4.—Senator-to-be
Hemenway has already announced the
appointment of his private secretary,
Truman F. Kilmer, his fellow-
man and chairman of the Warrick
county central committee, is the lucky
man. He will go to Washington with
Mr. Hemenway next winter. Mr. Hemen-
way is rapidly exceeding his ac-
quaintance among the members of the
legislature and the party workers who
did not know him before he became a
candidate to succeed Senator Fairbank.
He is in excellent spirits and will
remain till after the inauguration of
J. Frank Hanly as governor, next
Monday, if he can spare the time from
his congressional duties. He wants to
return to Indianapolis for his election
Jan. 17. George A. Cunningham of
Evansville, Republican member of the
state committee from the First dis-
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